

UNITED STATES GOVERNMENT

MEMORANDUM

TO : SAC, CHICAGO (105-4630)

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

DATE: 9-24-62

On 6/19/62 there was received orally from [redacted] information concerning a meeting of the National States Rights Party (NSRP) held at Chicago 6/16/62. This information was placed in written report form and authenticated by the informant. The original report is located in [redacted]

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On the above date the informant furnished the following additional descriptive data concerning persons mentioned above, not previously known to him.

- 4 - Milwaukee (RM)
- 1 - [redacted]
 - 1 - [redacted]
 - 1 - [redacted]
 - 1 - [redacted]
- 23 - Chicago
- 1 - [redacted]
 - 1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)
 - 1 - 157-34 (INSTITUTE FOR BIOPOLITICS)
 - 1 - 157-3 (ANP)
 - 1 - 105-9118 [redacted]
 - 1 - 105-3527 (MATT KOEHL)
 - 1 - 105- [redacted]
 - 1 - 105-9116 [redacted]
 - 1 - 105-11927 [redacted]
 - 1 - 105- [redacted]
 - 1 - 105-Desdex (S) [redacted]
- 1 - 105- [redacted]
- 1 - 105-12296 [redacted]

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meeting of NSRP, 6/19/62,
dressed in khaki

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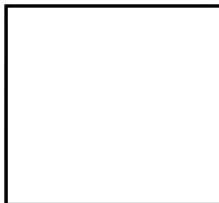
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White Male Dressed in Khaki

On July 2, 1962, this informant orally advised he had determined that the correct name of [] is in fact [] that he resides at [] Chicago, and is employed as a soda fountain waiter at the Walgreen Drug Store, Broadway and Granville Avenues. He is described as approximately []

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Chicago, Illinois
June 19, 1962

On Saturday night, June 16, 1962, at 8:45 p.m. a meeting was held in Room F, La Salle Hotel, La Salle and Madison Streets, Chicago, Illinois. This had been advertised as a meeting of the National States Rights Party. MAX NELSEN was in charge and in his opening remarks stated that the meeting had been called by himself as Illinois representative of the NSRP but that it was a meeting of the Institute for Biopolitics.

Approximately 55 people attended the meeting, including the following:

MAX NELSEN
GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL

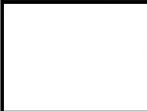
MATT KOEHL



An unknown white male, dressed in khaki



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MAX NELSEN gave a 45 minute introductory talk in which he stated that the Institute of Biopolitics is an organization established to help prevent racial suicide by the white race -- to help the white race to continue to exist without being swallowed up by the black masses. His purpose in calling this meeting was to explain this and acquaint the people with the situation today. He stated that among the right the NSRP is the vote-getting branch and that the ANP is the action group. He said he personally is a member of the Institute of Biopolitics, and the Illinois representative of the NSRP but is not a member of the ANP. While the NSRP and the ANP have no official connection, they are connected in that both believe in separation of the Negro and the white. He stated that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL, ANP Commander, was present on this occasion at his invitation as guest speaker. He also gave a plug for the Vinland Book Store, 2134 North Damen Avenue, Chicago, operated by the ANP and stated he would appreciate it if people present would patronize that book store. He then introduced GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL.

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ROCKWELL then explainted what he and the ANP stand for. He stated that while he is against Jews generally, he is not against the Jew just because he is a Jew but rather he is against traitors and he estimates that about 80% of the Jews in this country are traitors. He stated that Communists are traitors and that Communism is Jewish, starting back with KARL MARX. He stated that he has adopted the swastika as a shock symbol -- that it is a symbol of the white struggle for survival. He said that it is a Jewish lie that HITLER committed all the atrocities attributed to him but that "we are going to do some of those things attributed to HITLER which he didn't get done."

ROCKWELL's remarks were very well received and the meeting closed with a "Sig Heil" between ROCKWELL and the audience.

During the evening a collection was taken up announced by NELSEN as for the purpose of helping to defray expenses of the Vinland Book Store. The collection proceeds went to MATT KOEHL. The admission charge to the meeting was \$1.00.

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M E M O R A N D U M

TO : SAC, Albuquerque

FROM *KMF* SAC, Birmingham (105-477)(P)

SUBJECT : NATIONAL STATES RIGHTS PARTY
RACIAL MATTERS

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DATE: 10-5-62

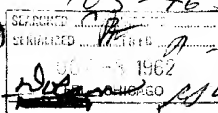
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SAC, CHICAGO (157-3)

9/25/62

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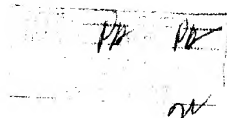
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On 9/6/62 [redacted] (RAC) advised relative to a visit to headquarters of the American Nazi Party (ANP), Chicago, 8/30/62. The original written report, which has been authenticated by the informant, is located in [redacted]

1 - [redacted]
1 - 157-157 [redacted]
1 - 105-3527 (MATT KOEHL)
1 - 105-13900 [redacted]
1 - 100- ("WE, THE PEOPLE")
1 - 105- (PRO-AMERICAN FORUM)
1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)

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Chicago, Illinois
September 6, 1962

On the evening of August 30, 1962, it was observed that headquarters of the American Nazi Party, 2124 North Damen Avenue, Chicago, was visited by [redacted] MATT KOEHL, [redacted] [redacted]. All were observed to be engaged in various work details, [redacted] working on files. On this occasion KOEHL was overheard telling [redacted] that he desired [redacted] to participate in affairs of We, The People, the Pro-American Forum, the National States Rights Party, and the Abraham Lincoln Republican Club for the purpose of keeping the ANP informed of developments in those organizations.

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9/25/62

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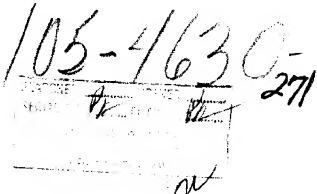
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On 9/6/62 [] advised orally concerning a visit to ANP headquarters 8/25/62. This information was written up in report form, authenticated by the informant, and placed in []

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1 - []
1 - 105-3527 (MATT FOWEL)
1 - 105- []
1 - 105-13900 []
1 - 100- ("WE THE PEOPLE")
1 - 105- (PRO-AMERICAN FORUM)
1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)

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Chicago, Illinois
September 6, 1962

On the evening of August 28, 1962, it was observed that MATT KOEHL, [redacted] were present at headquarters of the American Nazi Party, 2124 North Damen Avenue, Chicago. All performed various work details and no business was conducted. It was learned that KOEHL and [redacted] picked up [redacted] at his residence at 1421 West Jackson Boulevard and drove to the headquarters. On that occasion it was also learned that KOEHL had detailed [redacted] to attend functions of and join other right-wing groups in Chicago for the purpose of keeping the ANP informed of their activities. Among organizations mentioned were We, The People and the Pro-American Forum. He was also to subscribe to publications such as the "Thunderbolt" and get his name on the mailing lists of such organizations. [redacted] informed KOEHL he had recently received an announcement of a pro-American Forum meeting.

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TO : SAC, CHICAGO (157-3)

FROM : SA JOHN W. TOEDT

SUBJECT: AMERICAN NAZI PARTY
RM

DATE: 9-24-62

On 6/19/62 information was received orally from [redacted] concerning a visit to headquarters of the American Nazi Party (ANP), Chicago, 6/15/62. This information was incorporated into a written report, which was subsequently authenticated by the informant and which is retained as [redacted]

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- 1 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-9116 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-3527 (MATT KOEHL)
- 1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)
- 1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)
- 1 - 105-10151 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-11500 [redacted]
- 1 - 105-11667 [redacted]

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Chicago, Illinois
June 19, 1962

During the evening of Friday, June 15, 1962, American Nazi Party headquarters, Chicago, were visited by [redacted]. The evening was spent helping MATT KOEHL mail out invitations to a meeting to be held at the La Salle Hotel, Chicago, the following night. Though the meeting was advertised as a meeting of the National States Rights Party called by MAX NELSEN, all of the invitations were prepared and mailed out by the ANP personnel. The invitation advised that GEORGE LINCOLN ROCKWELL would speak at the meeting and ANP mailing lists were used in sending them out. KOEHL advised that ROCKWELL was expected to arrive in Chicago Saturday for the purpose of talking at that meeting. MAX NELSEN will introduce him. [redacted] and others from Milwaukee are planning to attend, according to KOEHL. It was also agreed that KOEHL, [redacted] would likewise attend. KOEHL also said that ROCKWELL would like to take over the NSRP and use it as a front group of the ANP. It was also stated that it had been learned from [redacted] and [redacted] that ROCKWELL was sort of sore at the Chicago group for not having picketed against the Communists on 6/4/62. ROCKWELL had planned that there would be simultaneous ANP demonstrations at various locations in the U.S. on that date.

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No further business was transacted.

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DATE: 9-24-62

On 6/13/62 [redacted] orally furnished information concerning a meeting of the American Nazi Party (ANP) held 6/7/62 at Chicago. This information was reduced to written form and subsequently authenticated by the informant. The original signed report is retained as [redacted]

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1 - [redacted]
1 - 105-3527 (WATT KOEHL)
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1 - 105-9998
1 - 105-13143
1 - 105-13287
1 - 157-65
1 - 105-12814
1 - 105-13142
1 - 105-
1 - 157-131 (THE NAZI PARTY)
1 - 157- (NEW NAZI GROUP)
1 - 105-12832
1 - [redacted]
1 - 105-12296
1 - 105-11667
1 - 105-11500
① - 105-4630 (NREP)
1 - 157-34 (INSTITUTE FOR BIOPOLITICS)
1 - 105-12815 [redacted]

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June 13, 1962
Chicago, Illinois

On Thursday, June 7, 1962, [] MATT KOEHL and [] were present at American Nazi Party headquarters, 2124 North Damen Avenue, Chicago. KOEHL pointed out that the front room and middle room of the 2nd floor at headquarters is now carpeted in a good quality carpeting and reported that [] had bought it for the headquarters.

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[] told of [] getting into trouble with the police. He said that about a week earlier they had two under-age girls in their apartment when police broke in and charged them with statutory rape on warrants signed by the girls' parents. Both are now out on bond of \$1500.00. They feel that either [] or [] put the police wise. According to [] [] heard about the arrests and is supposed to be hiding out in Hammond, Indiana, to avoid becoming involved in it. He said that [] is also lying low for the same reason.

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[] also told of another Nazi group in Chicago headed by one [] and which consists of 15 or more members. He stated he would have nothing to do with [] and his group as they are the type who would engage in violence. He didn't elaborate any further on that group. He also stated that he, himself, was born in Zagreb, Yugoslavia, is 19 years old and had spent his childhood in a DP Camp in Germany, where his mother taught school.

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[] arrived at that point and joined the group. It was learned that he is owner of a place known as the Wayside Inn but that he uses another name in that operation.

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KOEHL pointed out that [] had not come back to give the judo instructions and that his equipment is still at the ANP Headquarters.

At that time [] appeared that the headquarters, made small talk for a few minutes and left.

At 9:00 p.m. a regularly scheduled meeting of ANP members was held.

Present were MATT KOEHL, [redacted]

[redacted] who is not yet a member, KOEHL presided at the meeting and told of [redacted] having left town without saying anything. He reported that he had learned from an aunt of the [redacted] who called headquarters, that they had gone to ANP Headquarters in Arlington, Virginia, instead of Florida as he first heard. He stated that they are still at Arlington and that they also planned to go to Willow Grove, Pennsylvania, to contact one [redacted] (ph), who has a small group there who are interested in the White Youth Corps.

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KOEHL followed this by a lecture and explanation of some economic theories advanced by a professor at Mc Allester College who predicts an economic collapse of the United States by 1970.

KOEHL also gave a progress report of the Chicago Branch of the ANP since the present headquarters building was obtained. He pointed out that growth and progress has been slow but sure and stated he is pleased so far. He next announced that a meeting of the National States Rights Party was to be held at the La Salle Hotel, Chicago, on the evening of Saturday, June 16, 1962. He stated that it was booked at the hotel as a meeting of the Institute of Biopolitics and would be held at 8:30 p.m. He asked that all who could to make a point of attending as observers.

KOEHL then announced that the practice of having members of the ANP meet in separate groups on different nights was being discontinued and that beginning with the next Friday all members would again meet in a general meeting. He explained that he thought this made for better meetings. He stated that on Friday, June 15, 1962, the evening would be spent mainly in showing some documentary films for the purpose of sparking interest.

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After the meeting concluded it was observed that [redacted] paid KOEHL \$10.00 for the next stag dinner and \$5.00 for ANP dues and that [redacted] paid KOEHL \$5.00 toward the ANP initiation fee. [redacted] remarked that he would appear at ANP headquarters on the week end to help out with the work. At that point [redacted] dropped in and had a few private words with KOEHL and left. It was observed that he was in possession of various left-wing publications and pamphlets.

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No further business transacted.

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On the above occasion it was learned that []
[] mentioned below, resides at []
Milwaukee, Wisconsin, and that []
[] Milwaukee.

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10 - Chicago

1 - []
1 - 105-11670 []
1 - 105-3527 (MATT KOEHL)
1 - 105-4630 (NSRP)
1 - 105-9118 []
1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)
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Chicago, Illinois
June 19, 1962

During a visit to ANP headquarters, 2124 North Damen Avenue, Chicago, Saturday afternoon, June 16, 1962, it was learned from MATT KOEHL that ANP Commander George Lincoln Rockwell, who was present, had arrived in Chicago that day by air from Arlington, Virginia, at approximately 1:00 p.m. He was met at the airport in Chicago by [redacted] and brought to ANP headquarters. Early in the evening ROCKWELL went out to dinner with a Chicago man and his wife, names unknown, who had invited him. ROCKWELL later returned to the headquarters and he and several ANP members went in a group to the La Salle Hotel in downtown Chicago to attend a meeting of the National States Rights Party. After that meeting ROCKWELL, [redacted] MATT KOEHL, MAX NELSEN, [redacted]

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[redacted] returned to the ANP headquarters and spent a couple of hours socializing then broke up. ROCKWELL remained at the ANP headquarters for the night.

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DATE: 9/18/62

On 7/2/62 [redacted] orally advised information concerning the NSRP. This information was written in report form, authenticated by the informant, and can be located in [redacted]

1 - [redacted]
1 - 105-5587 (MAX NELSEN)

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Chicago, Illinois
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The National States Rights Party is not known to exist as an organization in the Chicago area. During a meeting held in Chicago June 16, 1962, MAYNARD NELSEN identified himself as the Illinois representative of the NSRP but gave no indication that that organization does in fact maintain a unit in Chicago.

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